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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend Claims 14 and 17 as follows:

1.-13. (Canceled)

14. (Currently Amended) An eyeglass frame, comprising:

a support for supporting at least one lens in the path of a wearer's field of view;
a first ear stem attached to the support, for extending in a posterior direction along a first side of the wearer's head;

a second ear stem attached to the support, for extending in a posterior direction along a second side of the wearer's head;

at least one speaker supported by the first ear stem with a first mounting mechanism, the first mounting mechanism defining a linear path along which the speaker can be translated by a user, the first mounting mechanism further defining a pivot configured to allow the speaker to be pivoted about a first pivot axis parallel to the linear path, wherein an electrical conduit extends from the speaker through at least a portion of the first mounting mechanism; and

at least one microphone supported by at least one of the support, first ear stem, and second ear stem, the microphone being arranged to face towards the head of a wearer of the eyeglass frame.

15. (Original) An eyeglass frame as in Claim 14, further comprising a power supply replaceably carried by the support.

16. (Original) An eyeglass frame as in Claim 14, wherein the support comprises a pair of orbitals supporting the at least one lens and a second lens, respectively, a bridge connecting the orbitals, the microphone being supported by the bridge.

17. (Currently Amended) An eyeglass, comprising:

a frame configured to support a lens in the path of a wearer's field of view, the frame comprising:

at least one orbital; and

a first earphone support;

a telecommunications receiver positioned inside of the frame;

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a telecommunications transmitter positioned inside of the frame;

a first earphone carried by the first earphone support, the earphone support being configured to define a linear path for the first earphone along which a user can translate the first earphone, the first earphone support being further configured to allow the first earphone to pivot about a first pivot axis parallel to the linear path, wherein an electrical conduit extends from the first earphone through at least a portion of the first earphone support; and

a microphone carried by the frame.

18. (Original) An eyeglass as in Claim 17, further comprising a digital storage device.

19. (Original) An eyeglass as in Claim 18, wherein the digital storage device comprises an MP3 storage device.

20. (Original) An eyeglass as in Claim 17, further comprising a power supply carried by the frame.

21. (Original) An eyeglass as in Claim 20, wherein the power supply is rechargeable.

22. (Original) An eyeglass as in Claim 20, wherein the power supply is replaceably carried by the frame.

23. (Original) An eyeglass as in Claim 17, wherein the frame further comprises a second earphone and a second earphone support and wherein the second earphone is carried by the second earphone support.

24. (Original) An eyeglass as in Claim 23, wherein the first earphone support extends rearwardly from the front of the eyeglass and second earphone support extends rearwardly from the front of the eyeglass.

25. (Original) An eyeglass as in Claim 23, wherein the first earphone support extends down from the frame and second earphone support extends down from the frame.

26. (Previously Presented) An eyeglass frame as in Claim 14 additionally comprising a second speaker supported by the second ear stem with a second mounting mechanism, the second mounting mechanism being configured to define a second linear path along which a user can translate the second speaker, the second mounting mechanism being further configured to allow the second speaker to pivot about a second pivot axis parallel to the second linear path.

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27. (Previously Presented) An eyeglass frame as in Claim 14, wherein the mounting mechanism is configured to allow the first speaker to pivot about the first pivot axis over a range of at least about 30-40 degrees.

28. (Previously Presented) An eyeglass frame as in Claim 14, wherein the mounting mechanism is configured to allow the first speaker to pivot about the first pivot axis over a range of at least about 90 degrees.

29. (Previously Presented) An eyeglass frame as in Claim 14, wherein the mounting mechanism is configured to allow the first speaker to translate along the linear path over a range of at least about one-quarter of one inch.

30. (Previously Presented) An eyeglass frame as in Claim 14, wherein the mounting mechanism is configured to allow the first speaker to translate along the linear path over a range of at least about three-quarters of one inch.

31. (Previously Presented) An eyeglass as in Claim 17 additionally comprising a second earphone supported by a second earphone support, the second earphone support being configured to define a second linear path along which a user can translate the second earphone, the second earphone support being further configured to allow the second earphone to pivot about a second pivot axis parallel to the second linear path.

32. (Previously Presented) An eyeglass as in Claim 17, wherein the earphone support is configured to allow the first earphone to pivot about the first pivot axis over a range of at least about 30-40 degrees.

33. (Previously Presented) An eyeglass as in Claim 17, wherein the first earphone support is configured to allow the first earphone to pivot about the first pivot axis over a range of at least about 90 degrees.

34. (Previously Presented) An eyeglass as in Claim 17, wherein the earphone support is configured to allow the first earphone to translate along the linear path over a range of at least about one-quarter of one inch.

35. (Previously Presented) An eyeglass as in Claim 17, wherein the earphone support is configured to allow the first earphone to translate along the linear path over a range of at least about three-quarters of one inch.

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36. (New) An eyeglass frame as in Claim 14, wherein the electrical conduit comprises a wire.

37. (New) An eyeglass frame as in Claim 14, wherein the electrical conduit extends through an aperture in the first mounting mechanism.

38. (New) An eyeglass frame as in Claim 14, wherein the first mounting mechanism comprises a rod.

39. (New) An eyeglass as in Claim 17, wherein the electrical conduit comprises a wire.

40. (New) An eyeglass as in Claim 17, wherein the electrical conduit extends through an aperture in the first mounting mechanism.

41. (New) An eyeglass as in Claim 17, wherein the first earphone support comprises a rod.